# The Bombay Gazette

No. 10,935.—NEW SERIES. BOMBAY:—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 14, 1883.


## SHIPPING.

### PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

THROUGH TICKETS from BOMBAY to LONDON via Brindisi, including the Continental Railway Fare via Modane and Paris, will shortly be issued in Bombay, Calcutta and Madras, at the following rates:—

First class.....Rs. 750.
Second class.....Rs. 400.

Return Tickets to and from London by the same route:—

AVAILABLE FOR THREE MONTHS.
First class.....Rs. 1,150.
Second class.....Rs. 600.

AVAILABLE FOR SIX MONTHS.
First class.....Rs. 1,250.
Second class.....Rs. 740.

The journey from Bombay to London by this route occupies 15 days.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent.

N. B.—The above arrangement will commence as soon as Quarantine is removed at Brindisi.

Bombay, 21st November, 1883.

### PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

| 1883 Date | Steamer | Tons | H.P. | Captain. | FRIDAY. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| — 11th Dec. | Cathay..... | 2833 | 500 | W. M. Robbie | |
| L. 21st „ | Verona ..... | 3183 | 600 | G. W. Aitkinson | |
| — 28th „ | Bokhara.... | 2932 | 500 | H. Weigheli | |
| 1884 | | | | | |
| L. 4th Jan. | Neraul .... | 3536 | 600 | H. Wyatt. | |
| — 11th „ | Lombardy . | 2726 | 500 | W. H. Mudie. | |
| L. 18th „ | Kaisar-i-Hind | 4023 | 700 | E. G. Stead. | |
| — 25th „ | Gwalior.... | 2733 | 500 | M. de Horne. | |
| L. 1st Feb. | Pekin..... | 3900 | 600 | A. Symons. | |
| — 8th „ | Surat..... | 3142 | 530 | C. R. Edwards. | |
| L. 15th „ | Hydaspes.. | 2984 | 500 | G. Scrivener. | |
| — 22nd „ | Venetia .... | 2726 | 500 | A. B. Daniell. | |
| L. 29th „ | Brindisi.... | 3541 | 600 | J. Reeves. | |
| — 7th Mar. | Cathay..... | 2983 | 600 | W. M. Robbie. | |
| L. 14th „ | Assam..... | 3038 | 600 | S. F. Cole. | |
| — 21st „ | Lombardy.. | 2726 | 500 | W. H. Mudie. | |
| L. 28th „ | Ganges..... | 41:6 | 750 | W. B. Andrews. | |
| — 4th April | Bokhara.... | 2932 | 500 | H. Weighell. | |
| L. 11th „ | Clyde..... | 4124 | 750 | E. M. Edmond. | |
| — 18th „ | Surat..... | 3142 | 530 | C. R. Edwards. | |
| L. 25th „ | Sutlej..... | 4194 | 750 | A. H. Johnson. | |
| — 2nd May | Gwalior.... | 2733 | 500 | M. de Horne. | |
| L. 9th „ | [illegible]mes .... | 41:1 | 750 | W. D. Anderson. | |
| — 16th „ | [illegible]ay..... | 2983 | 500 | W. M. Robbie. | |
| L. 23rd „ | Malta..... | 3500 | 700 | W. Barratt. | |
| — 27th „ | Venetia.... | 2726 | 500 | A. B. Daniell. | |

L. Through steamers to London.

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others passengers change vessels at Suez.

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 3 p.m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

### STEAM TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN AND AUSTRALIA.

| Vessels. | Tons. H.P. | Captains. | On 1883. |
|---|---|---|---|
| BRINDISI..... | 3542 500 | J. Reeves | .. 14th Dec. |
| ASSAM..... | 3041 500 | S. F. Cole | .. 28th „ |

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, November 6, 1883.

### NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA FLORIO & RUBATTINO'S UNITED COMPANIES (UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.)

THE Regular Mail-steamers leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 28th and on the 1st of each month, calling at

LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and *vice versa*.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

| To all Ports of Italy. | | To Marseilles. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| I Class ..£ 500 | Including | I Class ..£ 520 | Including |
| II do..... 340 | wines. | II do..... 360 | wines. |
| III do..... 150 | With food. | III do..... 155 | With food. |

Children under 3 years, free; under 10 years, half fare. Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON, FREE OF CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Hand-books.

A discount of 35, 20, and 10 per cent. is allowed to Passengers returning within three, six and twelve months respectively from the date of LANDING.

The following or other first-class Steamers will leave Bombay:—

S. S. SINGAPORE, to sail on or about the 15th Dec. 1883
S. S. RAFFAELE RUBATTINO on Tuesday 1st Jan. 1884
S. S. MANILA, on Friday..... 1st Feb. „
S. S. CHINA, on Saturday..... 1st Mar. „

Passengers and heavy baggage are carried on board, free of charge, by the Company's steam launch, leaving Apollo-bunder between 10 and 11 a.m.

Through Railway Tickets to London, available for 17 days.

From Genoa, I Class Calais Route..£ 95 Brighton Route £ 10
„ II do. do. „ 70 do. „ 0
From Naples..I do. do. „ 145 do. „ 0
„ II do. do. „ 105 do. „ 3

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent.

Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.

Bombay, November 2, 1883.

### CIE NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION. REGULAR MONTHLY STEAMERS TO MARSEILLES.

THE new first-class steamer CHANDERNAGOR, 2,700 tons register, 450 horse-power, will LEAVE BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 29th December. She carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 500 including wines.
Children under 3 years, free. Under 10, half fare.

The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows:—

Via Calais and Dover (Mail)..... 1st class £ 7 5 0
Via Dieppe ..... 1st class „ 5 18 1

Passengers' heavy luggage will be delivered in London free of charge to the extent allowed by the passage ticket.

For further particulars, apply to

RALLI BROTHERS,
Agents.

Bombay, 21st June, 1883.

### BOMBAY TO LONDON DIRECT.

THE FIRST-CLASS steamer CROMA, Captain Cave, 3,500 tons, 350 H. P., will sail as above on or about the 14th December, 1883.

She has first-class accommodation for a limited number of passengers.

An early application is necessary.

Fare Rs. 350 only.

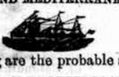
For passages, apply to Captain Cave or to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 7th December, 1883.

### ANCHOR LINE.

INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.



THE following are the probable sailings:—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

| Name. | Tons. H.P. | Comdr. | Sailing About 1883. |
|---|---|---|---|
| s.s. BRITANNIA.. | 3,070 400 | F. Blight..... | 24th Dec. |
| s.s. NUBIA..... | 3,550 500 | T. Knox..... | 30th Jan. 1884. |
| s.s. PERSIA | 3,550 500 | R. Hutchison .. | 6th Feb. |
| s.s. ROUMANIA | 3,200 500 | J. Harris..... | 15th „ |

FOR MEDITERRANEAN. 1883.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| s.s. AUSTRALIA. | 2,250 470 | Campbell.. | 18th Dec. |

To be followed by other 1st class steamers at regular intervals.

For the convenience of *Indian* passengers an Agency has been opened at 8, Regent St., London, S.W.

For rates of passage and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.

Bombay, 7th Dec., 1883.

PASSAGES booked by P. and O. Co. and other Lines, free of charge, and full particulars of Rates and Sailings furnished on application.

HAND-BOOKS for Homeward Passengers also supplied.

KING, KING AND CO.

August 1, 1883.

### OVERLAND PARCEL EXPRESS. INDIAN TRANSIT AND GENERAL SHIPPING AGENCY.

THIS Agency receives Parcels and Packages of all descriptions for delivery at any Port, Town or District, throughout Great Britain and Ireland, at a uniform rate of EIGHT ANNAS per lb., or fraction of a lb. weight, up to 50 lbs.

N.B.—This charge covers the conveyance from Bombay to London only, and may either be prepaid, or paid on delivery at destination.

Further particulars and Declaration Forms can be had on application.

N. V. CURRANEE & CO.,
Shipping & Forwarding Agents,
Elphinstone Circle.

### GREAT WESTERN HOTEL, FORT, BOMBAY, WILL BE SHORTLY OPENED.

THE large and commodious building formerly known as the High Court, has been secured by the undersigned for the above Hotel. Each bed-room has a SEPARATE BATH-ROOM, and there will be ninety large and well ventilated bed-rooms. It is most centrally situated, close to the Bunders, Railway stations, Public and Mercantile offices, Banks, &c., and commands a magnificent view of the harbour. A well kept garden in rear of the Hotel is open to visitors.

JEEVANJEE AND CO.

### TEMPLE BAR. GRAND CAFE AND RESTAURANT. BILLIARDS!!!

The Billard Room is the most spacious and best provided in Bombay.

BREAKFASTS.
SUPPERS. TIFFINS. SUPPERS.
DINNERS.

Refreshments ready at all hours.

WINES, BEERS and SPIRITS, of the very best brands only, kept in stock.

WHISKIES of all the favorite blends.

The coolest and pleasantest resort in Bombay.

EDMUND FUCHS,
Manager

## SHIPPING.

### THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED)

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows:—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. "MALDA," 1,945 tons, on WEDNESDAY, 19th December, 1883, at 4 p.m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingoria, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopaulpore and False Point. Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. "ARABIA," 1,080 tons, on TUESDAY, 18th December, 1883, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bushire, Fao, and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR AND MOZAMBIQUE.

S. S. "JAVA," 1,465 tons, on 3rd January, 1884,

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. "EUPHRATES," 807 tons, on SATURDAY, 15th December, 1883, at 10 a.m.

MACKINNON MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 12th December, 1883. Agents.

FAVRE-LEUBA & Co.,
BOMBAY,
WATCHMAKERS TO THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,
THE AUUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,
THE ANCHOR LINE STEAMERS, etc.

IMPORTANT TO SHIP CAPTAINS.

Chronometers Cleaned,
Chronometers Repaired,
Chronometers Rated,*
Chronometers given on Hire,†
Sextants Adjusted,
Index and Horizon Glasses Re-silvered.
Agates Replaced in Compasses,
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Only the most experienced and thoroughly competent European Assistants employed in this branch, and all Repairs executed by us are guaranteed to be equal to best London workmanship.

* We take our Rates from an Astronomical Regulator of the highest standard, giving a mean variation of 1·4 seconds per month.

† A few thoroughly reliable instruments with splendid Rates always ready for delivery.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### SPANISH GRAPES.

Cash Re. 1 per pound.

TREACHER AND CO., Limited,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

### NUTS TO CRACK.

FILBERTS ... ... ... ... } Cash Re. 1
KENT COB NUTS... ... ... } per lb.
BRAZIL NUTS ... ... ... 8 ans. per lb.

TREACHER & Co., Limited.

TREACHER'S
NEW PHOTO. FRAMES,
In Peacock Blue, Old Gold, and Maroon Plush Velvet, to take the
BOUDOIR PHOTO. 8½ by 5½ inches,
From Rs. 8 to Rs. 10, Cash.

TREACHER & CO., Limited.

### REAL LOCH-FYNE HERRINGS

PREPARED AND CURED ON
THE
FIRTH OF CLYDE
Expressly for the Undersigned.

Kegs containing about 5½ doz. Fish ...Cash Rs. 6

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA AND POONA.

### HAIR-BRUSHES, DRESSING-CASES, COMBS, &c.

| | Rs. a. | Rs. a. |
|---|---|---|
| Hair-Brushes in great variety, with Satin-wood backs. Ladies or Gent's .....from | 2 | 0 to 10 0 |
| Hair-Brushes, Babies' & Children's | 1 | 0 to 4 0 |
| SOLID LEATHER TRAVELLING CASES, containing a pair of Military Hair-Brushes and a Comb from | 10 | 0 to 15 0 |
| Larger ditto containing a pair of Hair-Brushes with handles, Comb, Clothes Brush, and Hat Brush from | 18 | 0 to 24 0 |
| Hair-Brushes with Solid Ivory Backs.....from | 30 | 0 to 75 0 |
| Argenueta Wire Brushes ..... „ | 3 | 0 to 4 0 |
| Hinde's Patent Wire .. „ | 3 | 0 to 4 0 |
| SOLID LEATHER DRESSING CASES, containing Hair, Tooth and Nail Brushes, Comb, Mirror, Soap-case and Shaving Apparatus „ | 20 | 0 to 35 0 |
| DRESSING COMBS. Ivory, Tortoise-shell, Buffalo Horn Xylonite and Vulcanite; Ivory, and Vulcanite small tooth Combs. POCKET COMBS; CURLING COMBS. Whisker Combs, Comb-cleaners, &c. &c. | | |

TREACHER AND CO Limited.
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY.

### IMPORTANT CAUTION!

WHEREAS for a period extending over many years there has been uninterruptedly sold in the Indian Market a certain blend of Scotch Whisky known to the trade and the public as TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY, each bottle of which bears near the front shoulder a characteristic heart-shaped label with a caution label on the reverse and a Phœnix trade-mark on both labels, as well as on the cork and the mettalic capsule covering the cork, and which Whisky from its high state of purity, rich soft mellowness, and intrinsic worth has met with such general appreciation, and so fully established itself in public favour as to be now familarly known as "Glenlivet," "Treacher's Glenlivet," "Glenlivet Whisky," "Treacher's Whisky," "Treacher's Glenlivet Whisky," and "Heart-Labelled Whisky," the Public are hereby warned and cautioned against accepting as TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY any brand failing to correspond with the aforenoted particulars.

TREACHR & Co., LIMITED.,
SOLE PROPRIETORS OF
TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY.

### CHRISTMAS HAMS, CHEESE, &c.

Special cold weather shipments now arriving.

| | Cash. Rs. A. |
|---|---|
| YORK HAMS .....per lb. | 0 12½ |
| STREAKY BACON..... „ | 0 13 |
| ENTIRE SIDE do. ..... „ | 0 12 |
| DOUBLE GLOSTER CHEESE..... „ | 0 12 |
| STILTON do. ... „ | 1 4 |
| ROQUEFORT do. ... „ | |
| GORGONZOLA do. ... „ | |
| DUTCH do. ... „ | 0 10 |
| GRUYERE CHEESE, in tins.... „ | 1 1 |
| PARMESAN, grated .....per bottle | 1 0 |

TREACHER and CO., Ld.

LOST.

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIAMOND PENDANT (Loluekh Brilliant cut) slightly flat weighing about 32 to 32½ Ruttees, valued at about Rupees Thirty Thousand (30,000) has been lost from a Diamond Necklace of HIS HIGHNESS SAYAJEE RAO MAHARAJAH, Gaekwar of Baroda, on or about the 30th October 1883.

A reward of Rupees Five Thousand (5,000) Babashai will be given to any person, restoring the same or giving information that would lead to the recovery of the same.

M. P. TUBACK,
Police Superintendent.

City Police Office, Baroda, 4th November, 1883.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### GAIETY THEATRE.

LESSEE ..... FRAMJEE C. MEHTA.
MANAGER ..... DENBIGH NEWTON.
LEADER OF ORCHESTRA .. C. BRIGGS.

CONTINUED SUCCESS
OF THE
"AUSTRALIAN FROLIQUES"
At the above THEATRE
TO-NIGHT!!
NO PERFORMANCE.
GRAND REHERSAL OF A NEW VERSION OF
"UNCLE TOM'S CABIN,"
IN FOUR ACTS FOR THE.
GREAT PRODUCTION
ON SATURDAY NIGHT, 15TH DECEMBER.

Reserve seats can be obtained at Messrs. SOUNDY & Co.
USUAL PRICES.

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the BANK, the PUBLIC DEBT OFFICE and the GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BANK WILL BE CLOSED for the CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS on MONDAY, 24th, TUESDAY, 25th, and WEDNESDAY, 26th instant, and for the NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAYS on MONDAY, 31st instant, and TUESDAY, 1st proximo.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
W. FRASER,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Bombay, 13th December, 1883.

NOTICE.

WITH reference to the advertisement CALLING TENDERS for the SALE of H. M.'s ship LONDON, it is NOTIFIED that H. H. the SULTAN of ZANZIBAR will allow the vessel to be BROKEN UP on the BEACH away from the Town, FREE OF CHARGE if arrangements are made with the owners; town frontage is alone prohibited.

J. HEXT, Captain, R.N.,
Director of the Indian Marine.

I. G. Dockyard, Bombay, December, 1883.

CHRISTMAS CARDS,
NEW YEAR'S CARDS,
FANCY BONBON CRACKERS,
CHRISTMAS PRESENTS,
PRESERVED FRUITS,
COMFITS, JUJUBES AND GELATINES,
BISCUITS IN RICH VARIETIES,
ICES, HAM, SANDWICHES,
BILLIARDS,
AT BYCULLA CO-OPERATIVE STORES.

TO BE LET, "The Rigby," a commodious upper-storeyed BUNGALOW on the Nepean Sea-road, Malabar Hill, lately in the occupation of Major J. B. Sparks. Apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
House Agent.

4, Hummum-street.

TO BE LET, the well-known PREMISES near Crawford Market, now occupied by the Cash Bazaar. For rent and other particulars, apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
House Agent.

4, Hummum-street.

TO BE LET, from 1st January, an OFFICE in Elphinstone Circle, opposite the Custom House, now occupied by Messrs. George Gahagan and Co. Apply to

E. W. FLOWER,
House Agent.

4, Hummum-street.

NOTICE.

TENDERS for the PURCHASE of a steam launch named the "SPHINX," belonging to the Admiralty, will be received by the Director of the Indian Marine at Bombay, on behalf of the Naval Commander-in-Chief, up to noon of the 10th January, 1884. The launch, particulars of which are given below, is now at Bombay:—

Length over all..... 66 feet 6 inches.
„ between perpendiculars.. 63 „ 9 „
Breadth extreme..... 12 „ 7 „
Depth in hold from top of floor.... 6 „ 7 „
Height of Bulwork..... 1 „ 9 „
With 2 Masts, 1 Main Boom, 1 Fore Gaff, 1 Main Gaff, and 5 Sails.
ENGINES—Compound of 35 N.H.P.
CYLINDERS—of 14 in. and 25 in. diameter by 16 in. stroke.
BOILER—Circular tubular with 2 Furnaces and loaded to 50 lbs. pressure.
COAL—Can stow 5 tons; consumption 2 cwt per hour.
PRESENT CONDITION OF THE VESSEL—Very good; she is now having a new shaft fitted.

Each tender before being opened must be accompanied by a Treasury receipt for a sum equal to 25 per cent. of the amount tendered.

J. HEXT, Captain, R.N.,
Director of the Indian Marine.

I. G. Dockyard, Bombay, 13th December, 1883.

THE SASSOON AND ALLIANCE SILK MILL COMPANY, Limited.

Incorporated under the Indian Companies' Act 1883, whereby the liability of a shareholder is limited.

CAPITAL Rs. 10,00,00.0
Divided into 2,000 shares of Rs. 500 each.

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THIS Company is formed by the AMALGAMATION of the Sassoon Silk Manufacturing Company, Limited, with the Silk Department of the Alliance Cotton and Silk Manufacturing Company, Limited. The object of the Company is to remove the machinery, &c., of the Silk Department of the Alliance Cotton and Silk Manufacturing Company to the premises of the Sassoon Silk Manufacturing Company, and with the combined machinery to carry on the business heretofore carried on by the Sassoon Silk Manufacturing Company, Limited, and generally the business of a SILK SPINNING and WEAVING MILL in all its branches.

Out of the 2,000 shares of the Company, 1,609 have been already taken up. The Directors propose to allot the remaining 391 shares to the public. Applications for these shares will be received by the Secretaries and Treasurers up to noon of 31st December, 1883, on which day the Directors will proceed to make the allotment.

Copy of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company may be seen at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 8, Forbes-street, during business hours.

COOPER, MADON AND CO., Limited.

| | Rs. a. |
|---|---|
| Bradshaw's Anglo-French Phrase Book..... | 0 10 |
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|---|---|---|---|
| Belgium and Holland.. | 3 4 | Southern Germany and Austria ..... | 3 12 |
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| Eastern Alps..... | 3 12 | Norway and Sweden.. | 5 12 |
| Lower Egypt and the Peninsula of Sinai.. | 9 8 | Palestine and Syria... | 12 8 |
| Northern Germany.... | 3 12 | Paris and its Environs. | 3 12 |
| Northern Italy ..... | 3 12 | Rhine ..... | 3 12 |
| | | Switzerland..... | 4 8 |

MURRAY'S HAND-BOOKS.

| | Rs. a. | | Rs. a. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Algeria and Tunis.... | 4 | Rhine, and North Germany..... | 6 4 |
| Bengal..... | 12 8 | Russia, Poland, Finland ..... | 11 4 |
| Bombay ..... | 9 8 | South Italy and Naples | 6 4 |
| Central Italy..... | 6 4 | Spain, 2 vols..... | 12 8 |
| Denmark... ..... | 3 12 | Southern Germany, Austria, &c. ..... | 6 4 |
| Egypt, 2 vols ..... | 9 8 | Sweden..... | 3 12 |
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| Mediterranean..... | 12 8 | | |
| Northern Italy..... | 6 4 | | |
| Norway ..... | 5 12 | | |
| Paris ..... | 2 4 | | |
| Portugal..... | 7 8 | | |
| Rome ..... | 6 4 | | |

COOPER, MADON AND CO., Limited.
BOMBAY AND POONA.

### HORMUSJEE SORABJEE.

X'MAS CARDS,

LETTS'S DIARIES FOR 1884.

| | Rs. a. |
|---|---|
| ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS X'mas Number with a picture..... | 1 0 |
| A Book of the Beginnings, containing an attempt to recover and reconstitute the lost origins of the Myths and Mysteries, &c., with Egypt for the mouthpiece and Africa as the birthplace, 2 vols. | 22 8 |
| Six Months in Persia; by Stack, 2 Vols..... | 15 0 |
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| The Great Frozen Sea; by Capt. Markham..... | 3 12 |
| The Correspondence of Carlyle and Emerson, 2 vols. ..... | 15 0 |
| Warrior Kings—from Charlemagne to Frederic the Great; by Lady Lamb ..... | 3 12 |
| Short Studies on Great Subjects; by Froude.. | 7 8 |
| Fire Fountains, the Kingdom of Hawaii, 2 vols | 15 0 |
| The Illustrated London Almanac..... | 0 10 |
| Cassell's Illustrated do. ..... | 0 6 |
| Bow Bells do. ..... | 0 6 |
| Judy's Annual ..... | 0 10 |
| Miss Braddon's New X'mas Annual..... | 0 10 |
| Hood's Comic do. ..... | 0 10 |
| Grant's X'mas Number for 1883..... | 0 10 |
| Zadkiel's Almanack for 1884 ..... | 0 6 |

HORMUSJEE SORABJEE.
26, Meadow-street.

13th Dec. 1883.

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CAUCASIAN INSECT POWDER.

WITHOUT exception the best preparation of the kind ever introduced.

"Will positively, thoroughly, and instantaneously rid dogs of fleas. * * * Absolutely and thoroughly efficacious."—"Glancairn" in *Asian*.

"Best thing of the kind I ever saw. I have five large greyhounds, and this is our flea season, yet they are kept perfectly free as well as their beds and bedding."—*J. S. E. M.*, Sholapur.

"My experience of it already is most satisfactory. It has quite freed my dog from fleas."—*C. H. R.*, Indore.

"Admirable."—*E. C.*, H. M.'s 29th Regt., Asseerghur.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS ADVERTISED IN SMALLER PACKAGES.

Tins 12 as., Re. 1-6 and Rs. 2-8.
In quantity or in bulk, at WHOLESALE RATES.

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| Cash. Per doz. Rs. | a. | | | | Cash. Per doz. Rs. | a. |
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| | | Matured expressly for Medicinal use, 15 years old. | | | | |
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| | | The celebrated Heart-labelled pure, soft, and delicate. | | | | |
| 30 | 0 | ... Old Pale | ... BRANDY | ... O. O. | ... 30 | 0 |
| | | A choice matured Spir t. | | | | |
| 26 | 0 | ... Pale | ... BRANDY | ... O. | ... 26 | 0 |
| | | Good and pure. | | | | |
| 22 | 8 | ... Fine Old | ... WHISKY | ... Glenlivet | ... 22 | 8 |
| | | The cream of Scotch Whiskies. | | | | |
| 22 | 8 | ... Fine Old | ... WHISKY | ... Irish | ... 22 | 8 |
| | | Soft, mellow, and mild. | | | | |
| 15 | 0 | ... Superior | ... HOLLANDS | ... Old | ... 15 | 0 |
| | | A good wholesome spirit. | | | | |
| 20 | 0 | ... Plymouth | ... GIN | ... Dry | ... 20 | 0 |
| | | Very palatable flavour. | | | | |
| 18 | 0 | ... Unsweetened | ... GIN | ...Very superior... | 18 | 0 |
| | | Pure and fine by age. | | | | |
| 17 | 0 | ... Sweetened | ... GIN | ... Old Tom | ... 17 | 0 |
| | | High quality and delicate flavour. | | | | |
| 22 | 8 | ... Finest | ... RUM | ... Old Jamaica | ... 22 | 8 |
| | | An exquisite spirit softened by age. | | | | |

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Elphinstone Circle, 14th December, 1883.

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# COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

## BOMBAY MARKET REPORT.

THURSDAY EVENING, DEC. 13.

We have had another dull and dragging week both in Imports and Exports. *Cotton* at home and in America has shown a drooping tendency, and as a result the moderate demand, which was apparent here in the beginning of the week, has greatly subsided. Wheat has continued in a depressed state, and notwithstanding a considerable reduction in prices, there has been only a limited amount of business done on Export account. In *Oilseeds*, although Linseed was quiet in the early part of the week with a slight drop in prices, the business done latterly is on a fair scale. Rapeseed, however, has not been operated in to any extent. Freights opened quiet, but as the available tonnage on the berth was gradually reduced, there has been increased firmness on the part of shipowners, and at the close 21s. 3d. is the rate asked by ready vessels to Liverpool for both measurement and weight. In Imports, notwithstanding the favorable agricultural prospects, we are still unable to see any material improvement in the up-country demand. Stocks there are said to be in excess of the legitimate consumption, while there have been some very heavy arrivals of late on account of native Importers, which have added to the already enormous supplies held here. Money continues unchanged. Government Paper had improved a little, but closes weak at a decline of 3-16 on last week's quotations. Shares continued steady for a few days, but on receipt of adverse telegrams regarding the Franco-Chinese complications a depressed feeling has latterly set in, and rates tend downwards. Exchange has remained steady but generally quiet, and the closing rates are about the same as those quoted last week.

Money.—The Bank of Bombay's return published on Monday last shows a falling off in the trade demand to the extent of about 4 lakhs as indicated by the decrease in the loans and bills discounted accounts; while there is an increase of about 7½ lakhs in the Government and Private Deposits. This has had the effect of raising the Bank's Cash Balance to 119 lakhs, which in the present state of our trade requirements seems to be a sufficient sum. In Calcutta there is a better demand for accommodation, and the Bank of Bengal is reported to have raised its rates one per cent. to-day.

Exchange.—Business here during the past week has been of a quiet nature, but owing to the continued firmness advised from Calcutta, and the rise in price of Bar Silver, rates here have remained firm throughout. Demand Bank Bills opened at 1s. 7 17-32d.; three months' Credits at 1s. 7¾d. 1s. 7 25-32d. There was a decided firmness apparent on Saturday, and although there were still very few Mercantile bills offering, the latter rate was named for Credits. On Monday there was a partial rise of 1-32d. in Bank paper, but rates for private paper remained unaltered. The firmness was well kept up until the close of business on Tuesday. A fair amount of business in forward telegraphic was transacted on the afternoon of that day at rates favorable to buyers. The next day brought a quieter feeling, and Bank demand was only quoted 1s. 7 17-32d. On Thursday rates opened weak both for Bank and Mercantile bills. Three months' Credits were sold in the early part of the day at 1s. 7¾d. Calcutta advises, however, coming in firm at 1s. 7½d. for telegraphic transfer and 1s. 8d. for six months' Credits, with a rise of one per cent. in the Bank of Bengal's rates there, the firm feeling was restored here, and rates close as follows :—

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Bank Bills on demand | ... | ... | 1s. 7½d. to 1s. 7 17-32d. |
| Do. | Telegraphic Transfer | ... | 1s. 7 17-32d. |
| Do. | Three Months' Sight | ... | 1s. 7 21-32d. |
| Credits, | do. | ... | 1s. 7 25-32d. |
| Francs, | do. | ... | fcs. 2·08½. |

Owing to the slackness in our Export trade the business done in ready private bills has been small, but a moderate amount is reported to have been placed for forward delivery, while for Bank paper the enquiry has been on a fair scale. At the sale of Government Council drafts, same rate as that of the previous week—namely, 1s. 7½d.—was obtained for both telegraphic and ordinary demand on the three presidencies. Thirteen lakhs telegraphic were allotted to Calcutta, six lakhs to Bombay and two lakhs to Madras. In the ordinary demand Calcutta obtained 1 7-10 lakhs. Bar Silver is reported firm at 50 13-16d. per oz. :—Shipments of the specie during the past week consist of £80,000 in Silver and £40,000 in Gold for Bombay.

Government Paper was steady in the first part of the week, and 4 per cents. improved to Rs. 98 15-16 to Rs. 99, but latterly the feeling has been weaker, and a fall of about ¼ per cent. has occurred. The business done during the week on a moderate scale. Closing rates were :—Rs. 98 11-16 to Rs. 98½; 4 per cents. 102½.

There is little doing in Bank stocks. Shares, Port Cannings have fallen to Rs. 790 to Rs. 790. Press securities are also at a slight decline on last week's quotations. Sales are reported of Akbars at Rs. 1,200; Bombay Cotton Forts at Rs. 2,725; Mofussils at Rs. 635; and Commerce of Wales at Rs. 840. Mill shares were dull during the part of the week, but on receipt of telegrams regarding the probability of a war breaking out between France and China, a depressed feeling set in, and rates have given way in most cases. Business has been done in Albert Edwards at Rs. 615; Alliances at Rs. 935; Bombay Uniteds at Rs. 1,080; Alliances at Rs. 845; Dhurrumseys at Rs. 533½; Empress at Rs. 880; Framjee Petits at Rs. 955; Gordons at Rs. 770; Himmotsans at Rs. 1,035; Hydrabads at Rs. 1,240; Imperials at Rs. 570; Jewraz Balloos at Rs. 1,245; Khandeish at Rs. 935; Khataos at Rs. 1,075; Mahalukshmis at Rs. 1,040; Manockjee Petits at Rs. 1,390; Mazagons at Rs. 250; Morarjees at Rs. 1,540; Nationals at Rs. 1,000; Orientals at Rs. 715; People of Indias at Rs. 275; Prince of Wales at Rs. 275; Sholapores at Rs. 1,545; Sassoons at Rs. 1,540; Southern Indias at Rs. 522½; and Western Indias at Rs. 985. Bombay and Burmah Tradings opened weak at Rs. 5,150, but since recovered to Rs. 5,400. They close at Rs. 5,200 for the original and Rs. 1,045 for the new issue.

### IMPORTS.

Piece-Goods.—Our market during the past week has been very quiet, and as arrivals on account of native indentors have been heavy, prices have ruled easier. The continued dulness in Manchester has also added to the depression, and dealers in some instances had to submit to forced sales in order to meet the bills falling due. Stocks on hand of almost every description of goods being large, we shall not be surprised to see a further fall in prices should the demand continue languid as at present.

*Grey Yarns.*—For 30s Water there is a fair enquiry at current prices, but in local manufactures the business transacted has been on a limited scale, although we make no alteration in quotations.

Metals.—*Copper* has continued dull, and sales of *Braziers* "to arrive" were made to a large extent at Rs. 43-15 to Rs. 44 per cwts. for distant shipment. In *Yellow Metal* transactions in Elliott's brand are reported to have taken place "to arrive" at Rs. 34-2 per cwt.

Coals have been in active request, and some sales were made of Laird's Welsh Hartley "to arrive" at Rs. 16-8 per ton.

### EXPORTS.

Cotton.—Advices from home during the past week have been anything but encouraging, and there has consequently been a depressed feeling in the market here. In the early portion of the week, some exporters did a pretty fair business in New Dholleras and Oomrawuttee for forward delivery at a slight concession in prices accepted by dealers, but continued heavy receipts at the American ports, coupled with the drop in quotations both there and in Liverpool has had the effect of checking the existing demand. Telegrams just to hand from Washington report that "the Agricultural "Bureau's monthly report states that the average "condition of the crop in ten Cotton States is "85 13-16 per cent. The crop is now estimated "at 6,000,000 bales." Although this figure was fully discounted here and at home, the formal announcement is not considered very reassuring. The drop in prices during the week here is Rs. 3 to Rs. 4 per candy in the new Cotton, and Rs. 2 for spot parcels, in which only a small business has been reported.

The movements of Cotton to late show the following comparisons with the two previous years :—

| | 1883. | 1882. | 1881. |
|---|---|---|---|
| For the Week | 27,792 | 19,000 | 25,896 |
| Since 1st September | 19,06,804 | 19,85,500 | 14,37,200 |
| " 1st January | 17,18,434 | 17,11,316 | 13,03,558 |
| *Clearances to Great Britain and Continent.* | | | |
| For the Week | 11,443 | 3,703 | 20,391 |
| Since 1st January | 12,72,918 | 14,21,911 | 12,55,454 |
| *Clearances to China and Calcutta.* | | | |
| For the Week | 876 | 1,366 | 973 |
| Since 1st January | 84,029 | " 717 | 72,585 |

The following are to-day's quotations for Full-pressed Cotton, with the equivalents in Sterling, Cost and Freight to Liverpool, via Canal, without commission :—

| | Per Candy. | Per lb. C. & F. |
|---|---|---|
| Oomrawuttee, F. G. | Rs. 173 | = 4·32 |
| Do. Good | " 167 | = 4·20 |
| Do. F. G. F. | " 160 | = 4·03 |
| Dholleras, F. G. | " 172 | = 4·34 |
| Do. Good | " 166 | = 4·17 |
| Do. F. G. F. | " 158 | = 3·98 |
| Western, Good | " 138 | = 3·98 |
| Do. F. G. F. | " 149 | = 3·73 |
| Dharwar Sawginned, F. G. F. | " 162 | = 4·11 |
| Comptah | " 141 | = 3·56 |
| New M. G. Broach, Good (March) | " 209 | = 5·24 |
| " Oomrawuttee, do. ( do. ) | " 177-179 | = 4·52 |
| " Dholleras, Good (April) | " 177 | = 4·47 |
| " Bengal, Good | " 149 | = 3·78 |
| " Do. F. G. | " 153 | = 3·88 |

Wheat.—The want of encouraging news from home has led to a further fall in prices here of about 8 annas to 1 rupee per candy all round. This has led to some enquiry, and a moderate business has in consequence resulted. The tone at the close is far from healthy; and we have yet to see what effect the American telegrams just received reporting that "the Bureau estimates the Wheat Crop at "400,000,000" (bushels) will have on the markets. Closing prices are :—White Pessie No. 1 Rs. 30 to Rs. 30½ per candy; Yellow Rs. 24 to Rs. 24½; Luskari Rs. 22½ to Rs. 23; Catha Rs. 20.

*Linseed* remained quiet for a few days, on account of the limited enquiry, and dealers consequently reduced the rate for ready parcels to Rs. 5-13½ per cwt., which induced some operators to come forward, and a fair number of transactions have taken place. The closing price in Rs. 5-14. A sale of about 5,000 cwts of new Seed for April-May delivery is reported at Rs. 5-9 per cwt.

*Rapeseed* has been neglected owing to want of good selection consequent on the scanty stocks offered for sale. The business transacted has been small, and in order to induce operations a reduction of about 4 annas per cwt. was made by dealers without resulting in any increase of business. We quote Guzerat Rs. 7-12 to Rs. 7-14 per cwt.; Cawnpore Rs. 7-8 to Rs. 7-10; Brown Rs. 7-4 to Rs. 7-5.

*Gingelly Seed* has been in improved request, and a large business has transpired this week in ready parcels. White Howrie was taken up at Rs. 36 to Rs. 36½ per candy, Mixed Rs. 34½ to Rs. 36, Brown at Rs. 33½ to Rs. 34, and Black at Rs. 32½ to Rs. 33.

In *Poppy Seed* there have been a fair number of transactions on the spot at Rs. 6-10 to Rs. 6-12 per cwt.

## BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

### BANKS.

| | Shares. | Amt. | Paid up. | Last Dividend. | Cash Rates |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| INDIAN BANKS. | | Rs. | Rs. | | Rs. |
| Bank of Bombay | 20,000 | 500 | all | 5p. ct. | 760 |
| Bank of Bengal | 42,000 | 500 | all | 5 do. | 840 |
| Bank of Madras | 10,000 | 500 | all | 4 do. | 640 |
| EXCHANGE BANKS. | | £ | £ | | |
| Agra Bank | 10,000 | 100 | all | 6 do. | 130 |
| National Bank of India | 37,320 | 250 | 12½ | 5 do. | 85 |

### LAND COMPANIES

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| New Colaba Co. | 4,000 | 700 | 2,925 | Rs. 32 | 700 |
| Port Canning Co. | 6,000 | 1,000 | 1,400 | Rs. 14 | 375 |

### RAILWAY COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock | .. | £20 | 218 3 0 | 5 p.ct. | 260 |
| Do. New £20 shares | .. | £20 | 13 0 14 6 | do. | 558 |
| Ditto | .. | £20 | 65 7-8 | do. | 75 |
| Ditto | .. | £20 | 1-13-1 | do. | 85 |
| B. & C. I. Ry. Co. | .. | £100 | 1,000 | do. | 6150 |
| Ditto. New Shares | .. | £1 | £1 3 | 5-5-0 do. | 122 |

### PRESS COMPANIES.

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Akbar Cotton | 150 | 5,000 | 2,850 | Rs. 125 | 1,150 |
| Akola Press Co | 85 | 500 | all | Rs. 75 | 500 |
| Albert Ginning Co. | 100 | 500 | all | 18p.ct. | 425 |
| Alliance Press Co., Kurrachee | 200 | 2,000 | 1,10 | Rs. 100 | 1,200 |
| Apollo Press Co. | | | | | |
| Ballard shares | 750 | 400 | 400 | Rs. 30 | 385 |
| Bellary | 625 | 1,000 | 1,000 | Rs. 20 | 560 |
| Berar Cotton Ginning and Press Co. | 600 | 500 | all | Rs. 65 | 595 |
| Bronch Cotton Ginning and Press Co. | 1,400 | 250 | all | 10 | 65 |
| Bombay Cotton Press | 300 | 500 | 500 | | 1,200 |
| Colaba Press Co | 500 | 1,880 | 1,880 | 50 | 1,350 |
| Dholiera P. & G. Co. | 500 | 300 | all | 30 | 205 |
| East India Press Co. | 700 | 1,000 | 1,000 | Rs. 153 | 1,450 |
| Fort Press Co | 150 | 325 | 8,500 | 350 | 2,725 |
| Francis Press Co | 300 | 500 | all | 75 p.s. | 625 |
| Holkar's Press Co. | 450 | 00 | 00 | 65 | 840 |
| Manmar Manufg. Co | 600 | 250 | 250 | Rs. 15 | 385 |
| Mofussil Co | 3,125 | 400 | 400 | Rs. 45 | 425 |
| New Indian Press | 2,400 | 125 | 125 | Rs. 25 | 220 |
| Prince of W. Press | 500 | ..... | 500 | 100 | 605 |
| Sind Press Co | 400 | 2,000 | 750 | Rs. 55 | 570 |
| Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co | 100 | 1,000 | 750 | Rs. 150 | 1,250 |
| Sassoon Press Co | 300 | 00 | 500 | 25 | 500 |
| Volkart Press Co. | 450 | 90 | .. | 65 | 840 |

### PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

| | |
|---|---|
| Sovereigns, each | Rs. 12·6 |
| Caroias | " 237 |
| Mexican Dollars | " 222½ |
| Five-Franc Pieces | " 230 |
| Bar Silver, 17 to 17½ bottereese | Rs. 105-10 to 106-13 |
| Gold Leaf | Rs. 19-8-6 |
| Bar Gold, 10 oz. English, 100 touch | " 19-12 3 |
| Australian Gold, 100 touch | " 19-1 3 |
| Bombay Bar Gold, 100 touch | " 19-11 |
| Pekin Gold Bars | " 19-7 |

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

The steamer Inchmornish, 1,292 tons, Captain W. Sanders, will sail to-day for Dunkirk, with a genera cargo.

The steamer Europa, 1,492 tons, Captain A. Talbot, sailed yesterday for Liverpool, with a general cargo.

The B. and P. S. N. Co.'s steamer Calder, 400 tons, Captain E. C. Ialfin, sailed yesterday for Persian Gulf, with a general cargo, and 111 deck passengers.

The steamer Bhownuggur, 108 tons, Nacoda, which arrived in harbour on the 12th instant from Bhownuggur, brought a general cargo and 85 deck passengers. She will sail to-day for the same port, with a general cargo and 52 deck passengers.

### DEPARTURES.

| Dec. | Vessel. | Commander. | Destination. |
|---|---|---|---|
| 13 | Calder (s) | Ialfin | Persian Gulf. |
| | Europa (s) | Talbot | Liverpool. |
| | T. Latchmy | Nacoda | Tuticorin, &c. |

The following vessels obtained their port-clearances yesterday :—

Steamer Bhownuggur, Nacoda, to Bhownuggur.
Steamer Inchmornish, Sanders, to Dunkirk.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—

Steamer Brindisi, to China, &c.
Steamer Henry Balckow, to Persian Gulf.
Steamer Chilka, to Rangoon, &c.
Steamer Arabia, to P. Gulf via Kurrachee.
Steamer Maida, to Coast and Calcutta.

### CALCUTTA.

Dec. ARRIVALS.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 9 | Justitia (s) | Craig | Liverpool, Nov. 2. |
| | Sindiana (s) | Burkers | Bombay, Nov. 14. |
| | Bouldana (s) | Turner | Rangoon, Nov. 23. |
| | K. Commander | Bell | Liverpool, Aug. 17. |
| | Star of Albion | Reed | Mauritius, Oct. 29. |
| | Cashmere | Lyon | —, July 29. |

DEPARTURES.

Dec. 9.—Steamers Kerbela, Coconada, Tibre, Renfrew and Rewa. Ship County of Peebles.

## HIGH COURT.—December 14.

(Before the Hon. the Acting Chief Justice and the Hon Mr. Justice West, the Hon. Mr. Justice Pinhey, the Hon. Mr. Justice Scott, and the Hon. Mr. Justice Latham.)

For Judgment.

Application of Pleaders' Association—Mr. Shamrao Vithul, Secretary.

Regular Appeal.

84-82—Thana—Mr. Shamrao Vithul—Mr. Nagindass for No. 1 Referred to a Full Bench on 27th Aug. 1883 Chief Justice and Pinhey J.

(Before the Hon. the Acting Chief Justice and the Hon. Mr. Justice Latham).

For Judgment.

Reference from the Bombay Court of Small Causes.

3,957-83—J. C. Cama—Merwanjee Nowrojee vs Ashabai—Jefferson B. and D.

Appeals for hearing and final disposal.

450—Balkrishna and B.—Narayen Moreshwar Kelker and another vs. Parekh Magabhai Purshotumdass—Janardhen G.—Part heard.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice Scott.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Long Causes.

424-81—R. M. Sayani and Smith and F.—Thakersey Dewraj and others vs. Hurbum Nursey and others—Tobin and R., Macfarlane and E.—Part heard.

292-83—Chalk and W.—Casinath Witoba and others vs. Dinanath Jugonnath and others—Khunderao M.—Part heard.

(Before the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Birdwood.)

Suits for hearing and final disposal.

Long Causes.

501-81—Jefferson, B. and D.—Thacker Vussonji Khimji vs Luxmon Kairo—Balkrishna and B.—Part heard.

242-82—Shamrao P. (for pauper)—Toosidas Amichand vs. Sankar and others—J. C. Cama.

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## MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—December 11.

Stockley, Lieut., Staff Corps, from leave, from England.
Andrews, Surg.-Major, from leave, from England.
Watson, Col., 9th Bengal Cavalry, on leave, from Peshawar.
Sargent, Surg.-Major, from leave, from Ratnagiri.
Engledue, Major, R. E., from leave, from England.
Beudwin, Col., 7th Madras N. I., on leave, from Madras.

DEPARTURES.—December 11.

Stockley, Major, Army Pay Dept., on leave, to Poona.

December 12.

Andrews, Surg.-Major, to join, to Cannanore.

December 13.

Sargent, Surg.-Major, from leave, to Hingoli.
Ormiston, Lieut., R. A., to join, to Campbellpore.
White, Lieut., 5th Bengal Cavalry, to join, to Bareilly.
Ranking, Surg., to rejoin, to Jhelum.
Challenor, Captain, R. A., on leave, to Rewadanda.

### BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS. REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut.-Col. the Hon. L. H. Bayley, Commandant, B. V. R. C.

Bombay, December 14.

The Regiment will parade under the Adjutant on Saturday next the 15th instant. Fall in at the Town Hall at 4-45 p.m. sharp. Red uniform with helmets, arms, and accoutrements to be worn. Members who are at the tram terminus at Colaba, Byculla, Grant Road, and Girgaum at 4-15 p.m., and all those met by the way will have their fares paid. Members defraying their own tram expenses can have the amount refunded by applying for the same after parade.

At a meeting of the council of the Bombay Vol. Rifle Association, it was definitely fixed to have the annual Rifle Meeting on the following days, viz :—26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, and 31st December, 1883. The programme, prospectus and rules will be published as soon as possible. Tickets will be ready by the 20th inst., when they will be issued at Head-quarters between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. All intending competitors should obtain their tickets before the 25th inst. It was further ruled that all tickets must be issued at Head-quarters and paid for according to the following scale, which includes ammunition, sighting shots and entrance fees. For a match of 11 shots—Rs. 2. For a match of 14 shots—Rs. 1-10-0. Members should pay their Association subscription of Rs. 3 at the same time.

Matches I. and V. are Rs 3.

By order,
A. H. ATKINSON,
Capt. and Adjt., B. V. R. C.

## BOMBAY GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Bombay Govt. Gazette*, Dec. 13.)

Military Department.

The furlough to Europe granted by Genl. Order, dated 4th Dec. 1882, to Capt. Assist. Comsy. (Hony. Lieut.) H. E. Barnes, Comst. Dept., is extended by five days.

The furlough to Europe granted by G. G. O., dated 28th Nov. 1882, and 7th Feb. 1883, to Lieut. Main, S. C., Adjt. 2nd Bgde. N. I., is extended five days.

The services of Surgn. D. Monks are temporarily placed at the disposal of Govt. in the Civil Dept.

The services of Lieut. M. B. Salmon, 30th Regt. N. I., Staff Officer and Cant. Magte., Hyderabad, are placed at the disposal of Govt. in the Political Dept.

The undermentioned officer is allowed furlough to Europe for twelve months on medical certificate, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—Hony. Lieut. and Assist. Comsy. John Burchell, Ord. Dept.

The following appointment is made, with effect from 1st Jan. 1884 :—Bgde.-Surgn. A. F. Bradshaw, A. M. D., to be Principal Medical Officer, Quetta, vice Bgde.-Surgn. C. J. F. S. McDowall, I. M. D.

The undermentioned officer has been permitted by the Secy. of State for India to return to duty :—Depy. Surgn.-Genl. D. A. C. Fraser, M.D., A. M. D.

The undermentioned officers have been granted by the Secy. of State for India extensions of leave for the periods specified :—Col. F. J. T. Ross, S. C., three months, medical certificate; Col. C. S. Sturt, Infantry, six months, medical certificate.

Bombay Vol. R. C.—The following appointment is made :—Dr. Roland Blaney to be Hony. Surgn.

### CIVIL APPOINTMENTS, &c.

Political Department.

Lieut. M. B. Salmon, Bo. S. C., is appointed to act as Assist. Political Agent, Mahi Kantha, during the absence of Capt. A. L. D. Fordyce, or until further orders.

Capt. J. M. Hunter and Mr. F. H. Warden respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of Actg. Fourth Assist. Political Agent, Gohelvad Prant, Kathiawar, on 5th inst.

Judicial Department.

Mr. J. M. de H. Larpent, substantive pro tem. Police Probationer, Dharwar, is appointed to be an Assist. Supt. of Police on probation.

Mr. Parashram Pandurang Chaubal, Clerk of the Second Class Subordinate Judge's Court at Malegaon in the Thana Dist., was, in addition to his own duties, in charge of the current duties of that Court from 14th to 26th Oct.

Mr. E. C. Cox, Assist Dist Supt of Police, Kaladgi, is allowed leave of absence on private affairs for six months from the 28th inst.

David Watson, Esq., J. P., is appointed to be Sheriff of Bombay for the ensuing year to be computed from 20th Dec. 1883.

The Govr in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. D. Younghusband, Magte of the First Class in the Dist of Panch Mahals, to be Mag in charge of the Sub-Division of the Dist comprising the talukas of Godhra, Kalol, and Halol.

Mr. J. B. Alcock is appointed to act as Assist Judge and Sessions Judge of Khandesh until further orders.

Mr. T. Moore, First Class, Second Grade, Subordinate Judge, has been allowed by H M's Secy of State for India a further extension for five months of the extraordinary leave without pay granted to him in Con. Notification dated 30th June 1883.

Azam Madhavrao Sakharam, Actg. Head Karkun of Taluka Murbad in the Dist. of Thana, is appointed to be a Magte. of the Third Class in that Dist.

Rao Saheb Narso Venkatesh, Actg. Subordinate Judge of Muddebihal in the Belgaum Dist. passed an examination in Marathi according to the Higher Standard on 7th inst.

Mr. J. W. Walker is, on his return to duty, appointed to act as Judge and Sessions Judge at Ahmedabad until further orders.

Mr. C. E. G. Crawford is appointed, on his being relieved by Mr. Walker at Ahmedabad, to act as Senior Assist. Judge and Sessions Judge of Surat for the detached station of Broach until further orders.

Mr. Shripad Babaji Thakur is appointed to act as Assist. Judge and Sessions Judge at Thana until further orders.

Mr. W. H. Bolton, Actg. Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Karachi, has been appointed to act as Cant. Magte. at Karachi, in addition to his own duties, from 8th July 1883.

Rao Bahadur Bhaskarrao Ramchandra Heblikar, Dist. Depy. Collr. of Kolaba, is appointed, in the place of the Collr. of the Dist. to take part with the Sessions Judge of Thana in the preparation and making of the list of persons qualified to serve as Jurors or Assessors at trials to be held before the Court of Sessions at Thana and in hearing objections to the said list and revising the same in accordance with law.

Mr. W. W. Wellis delivered over and Assist. Surgn. Abdul Ghani Hakim, L. M., received charge of the Mhasvad Convict Gang on 29th Oct.

Mr. W. W. Wellis assumed charge of the Gokak Convict Gang from Mr. J. McCarter on 4th Nov.

Mr. J. McCarter is appointed Supt. and Jailor of the Mhasvad Convict Gang from 23rd Nov.

Assist. Surgn. Ghani Hakim, L. M., acted as Supt. of the Mhasvad Convict Gang from 27th Oct. to 22nd Nov.

Mr. W. W. Wellis is appointed Supt. of the Bijapur Extra-mural Convict Gang from 15th Nov.

Mr. C. E. Frost, First Assist. Collr., Nasik, is, as a temporary measure, appointed to be Cant. Magte. at Malegaon in addition to his other duties.

Educational Department.

Mr. E. H. Hoogwerf, Head Master of the Sardars' High School, Belgaum, is granted two months' privilege leave.

Mr. K. B. Pathak, B. A., is appointed to act as Head Master of the Sardars High School, Belgaum, during the absence of Mr E. H. Hoogwerf.

Mr. S. Cooke, Professor of Chemistry and Geology in the College of Science, Poona, having resumed charge of his duties on 14th ultimo, the unexpired portion (seventeen days) of his leave is cancelled.

Miss Laura Brooke, Assist. Lady Supt., Female Training College, Poona, passed an examination in Marathi according to the Higher Standard on 7th inst.

Revenue Department.

H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. A. C. Logan C S., to be Forest Settlement Officer in the Ratnagiri Dist.

H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Mr. J. A. Baines, C S., on his return to duty to be Assist. Collr., Khandesh.

Mr. Lakshman Gopal Deshmukh, C.S., on being relieved by Mr. Baines to do duty at Satara.

Mr. P. C. H. Snow, C.S., to be Assist. Collr., Poona.

Mr. W. Doderet, C. S., to be Assist. Collr., Ratnagiri, on being relieved by Mr. Snow at Poona.

In modification of the orders contained in Govt. Notification, dated 5th Dec., regarding the appointment of Rao Bahadur Rajaram Khanderao to act as Dist. Depy. Collr., Khandesh, H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to appoint that officer, on being relieved, Dist. Depy. Collr., Panch Mahals, to act as Dist. Depy. Collr., Nasik, during the deputation of Rao Bahadur Narayan Bhikaji to act as Huzur Depy. Collr., Nasik, or till further orders.

Mr. A. D. Younghusband, C. S., Actg. Second Assist. Collr., Panch Mahals, to act also as Assist. Agent to the Govr., Panch Mahals, till further orders.

Mr. H. Murray, Assist Consvr. of Forests, Kanara (N.D.), passed on 8th Oct. the examination prescribed for Forest Officers.

Mr. F. Gleadow, Dist. Forest Officer, Jerruck Circle, Sind, passed on 3rd Oct. 1883 the examination prescribed for Forest Officers.

Mr. A. E. Spring, Actg. Assist. Supdt. in the Poona and Nasik Revenue Survey, to be Assist Supt. Fifth Grade, from 16th Oct.

Messrs. W. S. Cole and W. D. Wilkins, Assist. Supts. Sind Revenue Survey, are promoted to the third Grade of Assist. Supts. from 20th Oct.

Mr. T. R. Fernandez, Assist. Supt. Gujarat Revenue Survey, has been allowed by H. M's. Secy. of State for India to return to duty within the period of his leave.

General Department.

Surgn. C. Monks has been appointed to act, vice Surgn. A. S. Faulkner, as Civil Surgn., Aden, during the absence of Surgn-Major E. Colson, or until further orders.

Surgns. A. S. Faulkner and C. Monks respectively delivered over and received charge of the office and duties of Civil Surgn., Aden, on 14th Nov.

Public Works Department.

Lieut. B. B. Russell, R. E., and Lieut. S. R. Rice, R. E., are gradnfrey, B. S. P. W. Estabt. List as Assist. Engrs. Second Grade.

By the Commissioners.

Northern Division.

Mr. W. W. Drew delivered over and Mr. W. W. Loch received charge of the office of the First Assist. Collr., Thana, on 1st Decr.

Central Division.

Messrs. E. T. Richardson and J. Muir-Mackenzie respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of the Forest Settlement Officer, Satara, on 30th Novr.

Southern Division.

Mr. Balkrishna Govind Shindekar is appointed to act as Mamlatdar of the Bhimthadi Taluka in the Poona Dist. during the employment of Rao Saheb Anant Abaji Bhoskar on special Forest duty.

Messrs. J. G. Moore and A. Steward respectively delivered over and received charge of the office of Forest Settlement Officer, Poona, on 1st Dec.

Mr. G. H. D. Wilson, Collector of Ratnagiri, is allowed thirty days' privilege leave of absence from 26th January.

By the Commissioner of Customs, Salt, Opium and Abkari.

Capt. J. Hundleby, B. S. P., appointed by Govt. Notification, dated 5th inst., to act as Depy. Collr. for Salt, Opium, and Abkari, Northern Divn, took charge of his appointment on 30th Novr.

By the Inspector-General of Prisons.

Surg. A. S. Faulkner and Capt. J. S. King, Actg. Cant. Magte. and Assist. Political Resident, respectively delivered over and received charge of Aden Dist. Jail on 14th Novr.

Assist. Surg. Abdul Ghani Hakim, L.M., and Mr. J. McCarter respectively delivered over and received charge of the Mhasvad Extra-mural Convict Gang on 22nd Novr.

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## DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

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BOMBAY.

BIRTHS.

DONALD—December 13, at Mazagon, the wife of James Donald, of a son.
KEMP—December 13, at Waudby-road, Esplanade, the wife of D. S. Kemp, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

ROBERTSON—TURNBULL—December 10, at Dharwar, by the Rev. Mr. Walford, George Arthur Robertson, Esq., to Sarah Katterine, youngest daughter of the late Lieut.-Col. Sydney Turnbull, Bombay Horse Artillery, H.E.I.C.
ROSE—INNES—December 12, at St. Thomas Cathedral, Bombay, by Rev. F. L. Sharpin, Henry William Rose, of Secunderabad, to Jessie Innes, second daughter of J. J. Innes, Esq., of Brixton, London.

DEATH.

PLEADER—December 13, at his residence, No. 1, Waudby-road, Esplanade, Jehangir

# TELEGRAMS.

## AFFAIRS IN BURMAH.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

RANGOON, Dec. 13.

It is reported that fresh Burmese troops, making up a force of ten thousand, have recently been sent from Mandalay to the Shan States. Specie to pay them for six months, rice, and mules for transport have been furnished. Some prisoners from the Mandalay jail and some dacoits recently made over to the Burmese authorities by the British are said to form part of the force. Nothing more has been heard of the Envoys sent by the King to the Monay Chief, and preparations for attacking him are going on briskly.

Two Europeans who had gone to Ameerapoora to see an elephant hunt are said to have trespassed on the Governor's road, and to have been ill-used by his followers.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

## AFFAIRS IN THE SOUDAN.

CAIRO, Dec. 12.

The garrisons from Duem and Shat (sic) have reached Khartoum.

The Mahdi is sending ten thousand men to Darfour.

Baker Pasha will take command of eight thousand men, composed of gendarmes, Bedouins and negroes.

## SILVER COINAGE IN AMERICA.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12.

Resolutions were introduced in the House of Representatives to-day for limiting the silver coinage, and for withdrawing the trade dollar.

## ELECTIONEERING INTELLIGENCE.

LONDON, Dec. 13.

Mr. West, Liberal candidate, has been elected Member for Ipswich, defeating Mr. Charley, the Conservative candidate, by a large majority.

## THE INCOMING MAILS.

ADEN, Dec. 13.

The P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Lombardy, with the outward English mails of the 30th ultimo, left here for Bombay at midnight last night; and the same company's s. s. Ancona left for Colombo and Calcutta at 1 a.m. to-day.

## STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LONDON, Dec. 12.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Quetta left here for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo this afternoon.

SUEZ, Dec. 12.

"[illegible]" and O. Co.'s steamer Siam arrived here ... on the afternoon of 11th inst.

"[illegible]" and O. Co.'s steamer Venetia arrived here from Bombay this morning.

ADEN, Dec. 12.

The Italian mail-steamer Raffaele Rubattino, Captain G. Merello, left Aden for Bombay at 6 p.m. to-day.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Goa, homeward bound from Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast, left here this evening.

LONDON, Dec. 12.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed dull Surats steady.

The London Cotton market has been flat.

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| Fair Dholleras | 4d. |
| The Manchester market has been quiet. | |
| 4 per cent. Rupee Paper | 80 |
| 4½ " " | 89½ |
| 3 per cent. Consols for account | 100⅛ |
| 3½ " Sterling Loan | 102⅜ |
| 4½ " French Rentes | 106 |
| Bar Silver | 50 13-16 |

Arrival—Lennox.

## THERMOMETER READINGS.

WEDNESDAY, NIGHT, Dec. 12.

10 p.m. ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... ... 72·2

THURSDAY, Dec. 13.

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| 6 a.m. | 69·9 |
| 10 a.m. | 78·0 |
| 2 p.m. | 83·3 |
| 4 p.m. | 81·0 |

THE preliminary investigation of the charges brought by the Anglo-Indian Spinning and Manufacturing Company against Ruttonjee Rustomjee Wadia, better known as Kakoo Wadia, was commenced yesterday at the Girgaum Police Court, before Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee. The prisoner is charged with criminal breach of trust and misappropriation of property amounting to about Rs. 1,77,000 while he was employed as cashier to the company. The court was crowded with spectators throughout the proceedings. Mr. Russell, barrister, who appeared for the prosecution, opened the case at great length, showing the various ways in which the prisoner is alleged to have committed the defalcations. The information filed against the prisoner by Mr. Latimer, before he proceeded to England, was then put in. Mr. Pestonjee Kharegbaut, one of the auditors who were lately called in to examine the company's accounts during the time the accused was employed in their service, having been partly examined, the further hearing of the case was adjourned until the 22nd instant.

AT a sitting of the Insolvent Debtors' Court on Wednesday, the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Scott, the presiding Commissioner, made a severe example of Hassan Dadu Bhikoo, a Jatheer Sheikh, in whose case occupied two days. His lordship, in giving judgment, said that a man who had carried on a large business as a wholesale butcher for some years, and who concealed his books from the court, lent a character of fraud to his whole case. The presumption of fraud was confirmed by the details of the schedule, which was grossly inaccurate. Evidently the books had been kept back to evade investigation into the details of the schedule. It was also proved that the insolvent had conveyed to his son a house for which the latter had not paid, and which was intended to revert to the father after he had wiped off his debt by means of the court. He had also been a party to a collusive decree, by which a purely fictitious debt was placed on the schedule. Under these circumstances, his lordship thought that, in the interest of honest traders and of commerce generally, the insolvent should be treated in an exemplary manner. The case came within the scope of section 50 of the Act; and the insolvent was not only refused his discharge, but was condemned to pass three months in prison.

YESTERDAY at the High Court, before Mr. Justice Latham, a case was at hearing, in which Kessowjee Naik claimed to recover from Mr. Turner, as the assignee of the late firm of Nursey Kessowjee and co., a sum of about Rs. 26,000, which the assignee had received as dividends and bonuses on three shares of the North China Insurance Company. The plaintiff stated that, when the shares were alloted to him in 1864, he was a partner in the firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co., and also carried on mercantile transactions on his own account, mostly in shares, in respect of which latter the Bombay firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co. acted as his shroffs and agents. As such they received dividends and bonuses on the shares, which were credited in their books to his account. He retired from the firm in September, 1865, but they still continued to act as his shroffs and agents. The defendant urged that the shares in question were in the order and disposition of Nursey Kessowjee, who was the registered holder, and that, on his insolvency, they passed to the defendant as his assignee, with the dividends and bonuses due in respect thereof. The hearing of the case is being proceeded with.

SENHOR CAETANO D'ALMEIDA ALBUQUERQUE the late Governor-General of Goa, has been appointed Director-General of the Marine Department in Portugal.

THERE were three deaths from cholera in Bombay last week, as compared with an average of five for the corresponding weeks of the last five years.

THE district Season Reports of the Bombay Presidency for the week ended on Tuesday last, the 11th inst., show that the kharif harvest is nearly completed in all districts. The condition of the rabi crops is generally highly satisfactory; but in the Sholapur Collectorate they have suffered, jowari especially, from the late heavy rains, and jowari in three talukas of Kaladgi and cotton in one division of Dharwar have been injured to some extent by blight. Fever is very prevalent, as usual in the cold weather, and cattle-disease is reported present in several districts.

MR. J. A. BAINES, on his return from furlough, is appointed to be Assistant Collector, Khandesh; Mr. P. C. H. Snow, Assistant Collector of Poona; and Mr. W. Doderet, Assistant Collector of Ratnagherry.

LIEUTENANT M. B. SALMON acts as Assistant Political Agent, Mahi Kanta, during the absence of Captain A. L. D. Fordyce on leave.

MR. Rivers Thompson, Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, is slowly improving in health, though still forbidden to leave his room.

A SENSATIONAL murder is reported from the village of Bansberiah, in Bengal. A young Brahmin widow living by herself was found one morning headless and handless. Her house is in a populous neighbourhood, and the police have no clue to the perpetrator of the atrocious crime. Bansberiah has a bad reputation for serious crime, and yet it appears to have escaped attention from the detective department. A Calcutta paper asks: "Where are the police of the Hooghly district

ACCORDING to the latest news, December 5, from Tezpore, the Chief Commissioner has moved out into camp as far as Balipara, the spot where the recent outrage was committed by the Akas. Mr. Murray, the Inspector-General of Police, and Lieutenant Molesworth, of the Frontier Police, are three marches further on on the extreme frontier, at Balukpung with a body of about 200 men, and will stockade themselves there until the arrival of the military. Balipara will be the headquarters of the expedition, and a road is now being made through the dense jungle to the police post at Balukpung for the carriage of supplies and necessaries for the force. Lieutenant-Colonel Woodthorpe, R.E., of the Survey Department, is going to take scientific advantage of the expedition by joining the force, and has already begun to survey the hills in the neighbourhood of Balipara.

THE Takht-i-Sulleiman Expedition, now safely back across the border, may, the *Pioneer* thinks, be fairly said to have been a success. "Though the actual Takht was never, as we understand, ascended, there are other peaks considerably higher in the neighbourhood, and the highest of them was successfully reached, and satisfactory observations taken from its summit. The results will be valuable; and considering the opposition which frontier surveys have always to meet in certain quarters, Major Holdich may be congratulated on having been able at last to accomplish what he has so long desired."

THE statue of the late Hon. Prosonno Coomar Tagore, C.S.I., has arrived in Calcutta, the *Englishman* says, and will in a day or two be placed in position under the portico of the University Senate Hall. The statue is by Geflowski, and is said to be a very good likeness; it is the gift of Maharajah Sir Jotendro Mohun Tagore, and it is expected that the Viceroy will unveil it.

KUMAR BAIKANTNATH DE, son of Raja Shamanand De, of Balasore, has been appointed a member of the Bengal Legislative Council.

THE Thakur Sahib of Wadhan was received on Monday, at Calcutta, by H. E. the Viceroy and H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught.

IT is a little amusing, after the recent tirade which appeared in the leading Madras paper, directed against Bombay hotels, to read the opinions of the "hotels" in Madras formed by a correspondent of an up-country paper. This gentleman writes:—

It is a singular fact that a town so populous and important as this should not have a single first-class hotel. There are numerous native hotels, or I should say hotels under native management, in that city, but their ways are like those of the Heathen Chinee—both peculiar and vain. For instance, at some of these hostelries they keep no cook, or kitchen establishment, *ex permanence*. If a visitor comes they borrow a cook from next door. If the artist is away, they send out for a box of sardines and a loaf and cheese—also borrowed. And this is the diet of a hungry traveller in one of the largest cities in India. To sleep is as difficult as to eat. Madras hotel management recks nothing of holes in the mosquito net, even though previous guests in the irritation of their suffering have driven their feet, fists, and even heads through the frail defences. But mosquitoes are not charged in the bill, and the Madras innkeeper counts this unto himself as righteousness. The surprising thing is that the Madrasees do not build a fine hotel like Watson's at Bombay, or the Great Eastern at Calcutta, on their quite too delightful seabeach. They have the finest site in India for the purpose, and yet they do not utilise it. The explanation is that there are too many hotels in Madras already, which is in one sense true. But a really first-class hotel under English management on the seabeach would swallow up all the bread and cheese caravanserais to a certainty. No one goes to these places who can help it, though stress of matrimony drives an unfortunate couple there now and again. The Madras Club is the refuge of the dwellers in the great Lone Land, and a very pleasant refuge it is to single gentlemen with plenty of money in their pockets.

"VISITOR" writes to the *Madras Mail*:—"You were very near losing one of your subscribers this morning. When walking on the beach a bullet whizzed past my head with that peculiar 'ping' so well-known to those who frequent rifle ranges. I presume it was owing to one of the stormers of the Fort having put in a ball cartridge in lieu of a blank one. This is the first time I have been 'under fire' in India. I thought it rather rough to be potted at, and I congratulated myself on the operator's bad shooting."

MR. GRANT DUFF, speaking at the annual prize distribution to students of the Sydapet Agricultural College the other day, said:—

He desired further to say that it was with much pleasure he observed the large number of Brahmins who were working in the college. It was right, it was worthy of their hereditary intelligence that this should be the case. It was also gratifying to see that other Hindoo castes were still, though not quite so numerously, represented in the college. The number of Mahomedans too, though still small, was gradually increasing. He would also congratulate the institution that its merits were being recognised throughout India. They had heard from Mr. Robertson's report that Native States were beginning to send young men to the college for education. Alluding to the Maharajah of Vizianagram, who was present, and who represented the Vizianagram Zemindary, which had sent and supported two students, he considered that His Highness was one of the most distinguished and public-spirited native gentlemen in India. He always desired in every possible way to push forward the material prosperity of the country. It was the object he had most at heart, and amongst the numerous agencies which were working in that direction, he knew of none—absolutely none—which he thought would be more productive of advantage than this institution.

LONDON will soon rival New York in the number and magnificence of its hotels. On Nov. 22 another sumptuous caravanserai, not inferior in size and luxuriousness to the largest of the American establishments, was opened. Where all the guests are to come from who are expected to fill the three hundred bedrooms of the First Avenue Hotel might puzzle one, remarks the *St. James's Gazette*, if it were not remembered that in the metropolis there are slumbering every night fifty thousand sojourners who were not there twenty-four hours ago, and who will be away twenty-fours hence. The population of a large town in daily pourers of London, and has to find lodging for itself somewhere. But the First Avenue Hotel does not expect to find its account in casual visitors alone. It is supposed that many people, tired of housekeeping, with all its attendant troubles, will take up their abode permanently beneath the roof of the vast building in Holborn. The system, well established in America, has already gained a hold in England. But if it is to be successful, the ways of the British hotel-keeper, and some of his charges—especially in the matter of eating and drinking—will have to be altered a good deal. American hosts do not expect to pay the entire expenses of their business out of the wine which is "consumed on the premises."

LETTERS received in London from Smyrna, dated the 8th Nov., contain details of a frightful accident which occurred on board the Monarch on the previous day. Thomas Ford, an able seaman, while coming down from aloft, missed his holding, fell from the maintopmast rigging, and pitched on the berthing of the ship's side. The force of the fall was so great that the poor fellow was completely cut in two, one part of his body falling on board and the remainder into the sea. This was recovered, and the deceased was buried on the following day with naval honours. This is the second fatal accident on board the Monarch during her cruise.

## MILITARY NEWS.

DR. ROLAND BLANEY is gazetted Honorary Surgeon of the Bombay Volunteer Rifle Corps.

A MIMIC battle was fought at Madras on Monday morning, when a force consisting of the 1st Essex Regiment, the 22nd and 26th M. N. I., and a battery of artillery attempted to storm the Fort. Sir F. Roberts, who was present with his staff, was, according to a local paper, "not altogether complimentary" in his remarks to the officers of the attacking force. His Excellency, in effect, said that, "in real action, not one of the storming party would have reached the Fort alive. The covering party, instead of rushing ahead of the stormers, covering the party with their fire, allowed the storming party, with the ladders, to advance by themselves at a funereal pace, instead of doubling up to the ditch."

## GRANT COLLEGE MEDICAL SOCIETY.

THE regular monthly meeting of the G. C. M. Society was held in the College library on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 4-30 p. m., Dr. Cowasjee Hormusjee in the chair. Members:—Drs. Jehangirjee Cursetji, D. F. Master, R. K. Vachs, J. De Gama, N. N. Katruk, Jamnadas Premchund, C. Dadachanjee, B. S. Shroff, Vinayek-Govind, A. D. Mody, A. Bocarro Perosha Pallonjee, L. De Rozario, R. D. Nanjee, R. Mancer, and Temuljee Bhicajee, the honorary secretary. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. Dr. D. N. Parakh, R. Manser, and A. Atmaram were elected members of the Society. Dr. Temuljee Bhicajee Nariman read "Notes of a case of twins with artificial delivery." Dr. J. A. De Gama read notes "on the detachment of the Retina and a new treatment for it." After some discussion on both the papers the meeting dissolved with a vote of thanks to Drs. Temuljee and De Gama the chairman.

## PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE P. and O. Co.'s s. s. Cathay, Capt. W. M. Robbie, will sail to-day for Aden and Suez with the European mails and the following passengers:—

FOR LONDON.

Lieut.-Col. C. Woodhouse. Mr. F. D. Campbell.
Mrs. A. Bush. Mrs. Edwards and child.

FOR VENICE.

Mr. J. H. Lloyd. Mr. E. Morran.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Mr. G. F. Bell. The Hon. E. C. Buck.
Mr. and Mrs. Hoarsma.

The following passages have been engaged:—

The s.s. Verona, Capt. G. W. Atkinson, sailing on 21st Dec.:—

FOR LONDON.

Lady Alice FitzGerald and maid. Hon Major and Mrs Napier and infant.
Mr. A. J. L. Payne.

## THE BOMBAY LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT BILLS.

### THE MUNICIPAL BILL.

THE following is the Report of the Select Committee of the Council of His Excellency the Governor of Bombay on the Bill to amend the Bombay District Municipal Act:—

Report of the Select Committee appointed to consider Bill No. 4 of 1883—

A Bill to amend the Bombay District Municipal Act.

The Select Committee appointed to consider Bill No. 4 of 18813, called "The Bombay District Municipal Act Amendment Bill," has the honour to make the following report thereon, and to append a copy of the Bill amended in accordance with the suggestions of the Committee.

The remarks of the Select Committee on the Local Boards Bill respecting the sections which provide for the constitution of local boards apply equally to the similar sections of this Bill which provide for the constitution of municipalities. A minimum proportion of elective commissioners is established by section 10, and the Governor in Council has power to raise that minimum at any time, and in any municipal district, by dimnishing the number of nominated cammissioners.

The Committee recommends the addition of a section inserted in the Bill as 5 A to meet the suggestion of the Commissioner S. D. in a letter placed by Government before the Committe, that provision should be made for cases in which a doubt may arise whether land believed to be within a municipal district has been legally included in it. Under this section the Governor in Council will define the limits of all municipal districts in existence when the Bill becomes law, and all municipalities are required to mark the limits of their districts by substantial boundary marks whenever such limits are notified in the *Government Gazette*.

The Committee has considered the proposals made by the Sanitary Commissioner in a letter to Government which has been placed before the Committee. The purport of these proposals is that the Governor in Council should have power to establish municipal districts of an elementary kind for purposes of sanitation in villages, and specially in those villages, which adjoin large towns. It seems to the Committee very expedient to give this power to the Bill, though it may not be possible to exercise it otherwise than very partially and gradually. The Committee therefore makes the following recommendations for this purpose:—By Act VI. of 1873, section 3, definition of 'place,' proposed to read with section 4, the Governor in Council was empowered to "include any village or lands immediately adjacent" to a city or town in one municipal district with that city or town, but no power is taken in Act VI. to add such village or land to a municipal district once constituted, nor could two or more villages be constituted a municipal district under that Act. In the Bill, section 5, the Governor in Council has power to extend, contract or otherwise alter the limits of any municipal district,—a power which will of course be exercised with great consideration for the interests of the municipality, but which, subject to that proviso, may be used to attach to a municipal district an adjoining village for sanitary purposes. The Committee proposes to define a municipal district as a "local area"; the Governor in Council may (section 5) by notification in the *Government Gazette* declare any local area to be a municipal district, and (new section 8) such local area may comprise either a city, town, &c, or a village "or suburb or two or more neighbouring villages and suburbs." The proviso as to being "separated by an extent of more than one mile of land uncupied by houses" and the proviso as to population may be set aside "for exceptional reasons". A group of villages, therefore, may be constituted a municipal district, the municipality being constituted ready made in section 12. The taxes, if any, to be raised therein may be carefully regulated under section 30 (*h*) and (*m*). The advantage secured will be that any part of a district in which special sanitary measures are need may be subjected to municipal law administered by a competent body of commissioners, many of whom may also be members of the taluka local board.

The Committee does not propose to alter section 11, which leaves the regulation of elections and the qualification of candidates and voters to be settled hereafter by the Governor in Council. But as a desire has been expressed that the municipal franchise should be granted to certain classes the Committe has iucerted a proviso for that purpose.

In section 12 and elsewhere the municipalities at hill stations have been treated as exceptional in regard to their special circumstances.

In section 14 the Committee proposes to extend the term for which municipalities may leasse immoveable property without previous sanction from 3 years to 7, as such leases will be more frequently given by municipalites than by local boards and under closer public observation.

In section 15 (*b*) Subordinate Judge have been added, as they will have to try suits to which municipalites are parties. Clauses (*c*) and (*d*) are altered, as were the corresponding clauses in the Local Boards Bill. So also section 21.

The amendments proposed in section 26—conduct of business—are designed to make the meaning clearer, and do not call for detailed explanation.

The recommendations for amending sections 27 and 28 are similar to those on corresponding sections of the Local Boards Bill.

The addition of a section marked 29A is suggested to provide for joint committees.

It is suggested that every minicipality may be empowered to make bye-laws under section 31, and the new section 27 of the original Act (section 46 of the Bill) then becomes unnecessary, and may be omitted, and existing section 27 of the original Act may be repealed.

In section 31 (A) stables are added to markets and slaughter-houses.

The introduction of a new section 31 (A) is proposed to provide for the publication, by municipalities of proposed bye-laws in draft, and the hearing of objections or suggestions before the bye-laws are finally adopted.

Much objection has been expressed to section 88, which gives the Governor in Council power to suspend or prohibit the levy of objectionable taxes. It must be observed, however, that taxes are prescribed on the joint authority of the municipality and the Governor in Council, whose provious sanction is necessary. It is impossible always to foresee, at the time of giving sanction, every thing which may result from the imposition of the tax sanctioned, or the method of assessing and leavying it, and it is unreasonable that the Governor in Council when this sanction has been given should be bound to perpetuate it, and unable to withdraw it, although the municipality may be levying the tax in a way to cause popular discontent or injury to public interests, and may turn a deaf ear to the remonstrances of Government. The Committee, however, while considering the purport of the section reasonable, thinks it may be modified in expression, as it will suffice if power is taken to suspend the levy of a tax, contrary to the conditions on which sanction is established, if the municipality concerned, neglects after due warning to remove the objection, and for such time as it persists in such neglect. An amended section is, therefore, suggested.

The Committee observes that in the North-Western Provinces, and Oudh Municipalities Act of 1883, section 44, it is enacted that "the Local Government, with the previous sanction of the Governor-General in Council may from time to time reduce any tax imposed under the foregoing sections."

In section 46(*a*) the Committee has endeavoured to give to the word 'street' the meaning required for the purposes of municipal law. It should not apparently compromise any alley or passage, however private the use thereof may be, but only such as are used by the public, and the bad ordering of which may injure or endanger the public. Some 'streets' so used may be private property, and when 'streets' vested in the municipality are mentioned, the word 'public' is presupposed. The duty of keeping in good order any land or building not used by the public as a means of access may be enforced under such provisions of the original Act as sections 55 and 58.

The Committee recommends that the words "with the sanction of the Governor in Council or any officer duly authorised by him" in section 23 of the original Act should not be repealed as proposed in the Local Boards Bill, but should be retained, made of section 43 of the Local Boards Bill, and seems to the Committee to be judicious in both cases.

In section 46 (*e*) in clause (8) in of the section substituted for section 24 of the orginal Act, it has been proposed to insert after "changing" the word "closing." The Committee admits that it is desirable that the municipal body should have power to close burying grounds which may be or have become dangerous to the public health. But the exercise of this power by a municipality might be such as to excite violent party or religions agitation, and the Committee looking to the views expressed by the Government of India in 1881 on the subject of the exercise of similar powers by Government as liable to the construction of interference with religious feelings, hesitates to adopt the suggestion. The word "closing" might perhaps be inserted if accompanied by the proviso that places for the disposal of the dead are not to be closed by municipalities except with the previous sanction of the Governor in Council.

The Committee suggests in the same section the transfer of the establishment and maintenance of public hospitals and dispensaries from the discretional to the obligatory clauses, and the transfer of clauses (13) (famine relief) from obligatory to discretional, in the appendix to the Bill, a similar transfer was proposed in the Local Boards Bill.

Under section 46 (*g*) an amendment of section 30 clause I, of the original Act is recommended, the object of which is to enable Municipalities to require the removal of verandahs or steps which form no project beyond the regular line of a public street, either as existing or determined upon fro the future. As provision is made in section 80. clause I, for the payment of full compensation, there seems to the Committee no objection to giving this power.

In section 46 (*j*) the Committee has not proposed to alter the date fixed for the submission of the Budget estimate to the municipality. April is in some respects convenient for this purpose, and it is understood that the adoption of the Budget estimate by the municipality in April is not inconsistent with the provisional framing of estimates at any earlier date which may be desirable.

The Honourable Rao Saheb Vishvanath Narayan Mandlik, C. S. I., was a member of the Select Committee, but was unable to attend any of the meetings, and therefore has not signed the report.

(Signed) J. B. PEILE.
" C. J. MERRIMAN.
" K. V. RASTAY.

November 19, 1883.

Subject to the observations in a separate* minute, I concur in this report.

(Signed) BADRUDIN TYABJI.

* *Note.*—*Vide* Minute annexed to the Report of the Select Committee on the Bombay Local Boards Bill.

DR. DE JONGH'S LIGHT-BROWN COD LIVER OIL.—In San Remo, Liguria, described as unqualified, Dr. Pruss, Medical Officer of Health, Bloomsbury, writes:—"In Pulmonary Consumption, in Scrofulous Affections, and in the various Diseases of the Skin associated with the strumous taint, Dr. de Jongh's Cod Liver Oil is very efficacious in improving nutrition and tone, restoring plumpness to the fatty tissue and a bright colour to the skin very rapidly. The use of Dr. de Jongh's Oil is quite indispensable in the more obstinate and degenerative forms of Skin Disease."—Sold only in capsuled Imperial half-pints, pints, and quarts, by all chemists, druggists and storekeepers. Sole Consignees: Ansar, Harford & Co. 17, Strand, London.

## THE DEFALCATIONS IN THE ANGLO-INDIAN MILL.

RUTTONJEE RUSTOMJEE WADIA, *alias* Kakoo Wadia, the late cashier of the Anglo-Indian Spinning and Manufacturing Mill Company, was placed yesterday before Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee on a charge of criminal breach of trust and misappropriation of the company's property, amounting to Rs. 1,77,225.

Mr. Russell appeared for the prosecution, and Mr. Hormusjee, of Messrs. Ardeseer and Hormusjee, for the defence.

Mr. Russell, in opening the case, said that in the year 1877 the prisoner was appointed cashier to the Anglo-Indian Spinning and Manufacturing Company. He apparently entered upon his duties at the end of the year, under the direction of Mr. Latimer. Mr. Latimer told them in his evidence which was taken before his worship that his duties were those of general supervision with regard to the sale and purchase of yarn, but that all the money dealings of the company were left in the hands of the prisoner. Matters apparently went on without any suspicions being aroused, from the year 1877 to 1882. In the month of October, 1882, as Mr. Latimer stated in his evidence, an application was made by the home office for information with regard to an outstanding account. Mr. Latimer consequently asked the prisoner if he could give an explanation as to how a sum amounting to several thousand rupees was outstanding and had not been recovered. The prisoner gave some explanation to Mr. Latimer, which did not appear to be satisfactory. Mr. Latimer then asked the prisoner if he would produce the bank pass-book, which might enable him to satisfy himself more fully with regard to how matters stood. Considerable difficulty was experienced by Mr. Latimer in getting the pass-book out of the possession of the prisoner, who then, finding that the defalcations were likely to be discovered, confessed to Mr. Latimer that he had embezzled large sums of money, amounting to Rs. 40,000. Mr. Latimer being anxious to do all he could in the interests of the company, told the prisoner that it was extremely desirable that he should pay up as much of the money as he could. According to Mr. Latimer's evidence, the prisoner seemed to have handed over to him certain title-deeds, documents, and jewellery on account of the defalcations in October, 1882. It appeared that Mr. Latimer had in the meanwhile made a report to the directors with regard to the state of things, the prisoner promising to pay up the whole amount. Matters proceeded until February, 1883, when counsel imagined that the prisoner, finding he had no more funds to recoup the company for their losses, absconded from Bombay, and concealed himself with such extreme success that it was not until the 30th ultimo that he was arrested. A committee of two gentlemen—Messrs. Lidbetter and Pestonjee Kharegbaut—were asked by the directors to make a careful investigation of the accounts, which had been in the possession of the prisoner since the time he had entered on his duties. The result was that these gentlemen came to the conclusion that a sum of about Rs. 1,72,000 had been abstracted from the company's funds by the prisoner. The learned counsel said he did not, of course, propose to attempt to prove all the items, but he would endeavour to select those that were most salient. In giving the outline of the report made by the two accountants, counsel said that, as far as he could make out, the transactions did not seem to be of a very complicated character, although at first sight they might appear somewhat difficult. But what struck an observer particularly was that the defalcations could only have taken place for any length of time owing to the entire absence of any sort of supervision. Mr. Kharegbaut proved to the satisfaction of the court that the frauds had commenced very shortly after the appointment of the prisoner as cashier to the company, and that the first defalcation was committed in March, 1878, when the prisoner appropriated to his own use a sum of Rs. 1,064 and odd paid in by the Oriental Bank to the Anglo-Indian Company. Subsequently, in May and June, 1878, they found that two sums of Rs. 500 and Rs. 1,000 were debited by the prisoner to the Oriental Bank, as having been paid in. But these sums were never paid in by the prisoner at all, and on the 27th June they found that a sum of Rs. 1,064-4 was credited by the prisoner to the Oriental Bank in the books of the company. The total amount of the first defalcation came to the sum of Rs. 2,564-4, and the prisoner devised a plan to conceal the difference between his cash-book and the pass book of the Oriental Bank. Mr. Russell then proceeded to show how the deficits as between the bank and the company were made up by the prisoner. His worship was, of course, aware that the duties of a mill company were to make yarn and sell it. Large quantities were sold by the company, the prisoner receiving all payments in respect thereof. It appeared that on the 27th June, 1878, Thakerjee Mooljee paid in to the company Rs. 9,500 for yarn received by him. But the prisoner only credited Thakerjee in the company's cash-book with Rs. 7,000, leaving a defalcation of Rs. 2,500. Of this latter sum, the prisoner applied Rs. 1,000 to cover the difference in respect of the Oriental Bank account with the company, and the remaining Rs. 1,000 was applied to cover the deficit which had arisen in consequence of the defalcation in respect of the sum of Rs. 1,064-4. It appeared to have been the system on which the prisoner acted with regard to the moneys received from the various merchants. He applied the moneys in a number of instances to cover the differences between the amounts as they appeared in the company's and the bank's cash-books. Further, he seemed to have in many instances debited the Oriental, the National, and the Bombay Banks with larger amounts than he actually paid in. Thus in the year 1878 the prisoner debited the Oriental Bank with Rs. 100, while he had actually paid in Rs. 700. He again debited them, on the 26th September, with Rs. 25,590, but he actually paid in only Rs. 590. On the 20th December he appeared to have debited the same bank with Rs. 9,410, whereas he actually paid in Rs. 10,400. The difference between these two last sums was to Rs. 990, and this latter was part of a sum which the prisoner placed to the credit of Jairam Bhojen on account of yarn purchased by them. He appropriated this sum to the payment of the deficit, short crediting the merchant with that amount. There also appeared to have been a sum of Rs. 1,115-7-2 which the prisoner received on the 15th August, 1878, but the sum was not credited to the bank until the following December, and it was then credited by him in order to cover the deficiency between the bank's pass-book and the company's cash-book, sanctioning the construction of the tramway in that road. The Municipal Commissioner of the time, who to a certain extent was supported by the Town Council and Corporation, was opposed to the nuisance. At the time, when the question of certain set-backs in Breach Candy-road was brought before the Corporation, their Chairman, Sir Frank Souter, declared himself against the improvement, saying that it was not imperative that the whole portion of the traffic had been directed to the Queen's-road, which had then been newly opened. But time had clearly shown that there was no sensible diminution of traffic in Breach Candy-road, —that, in fact, it had been increasing every day. There was all the greater reason why they should adopt Mr. Nowrojee's motion, because they had allowed the tramway line to be constructed on a road supposed to be unsuitable for it, and had thereby done important character such things should have been allowed to be carried on. The transactions to which he (Mr. Russell) had referred had taken place while Mr. Latimer was in Bombay, and no doubt that was the reason why the defalcations were devoured, by the cross-examination of Mr. Latimer on a former occasion, to show that he had some share in the frauds. But Mr. Latimer had given a most unqualified denial as to his participation in the matter, and he was now about to proceed to England without the slightest suspicion that he had anything whatever to do with the defalcations. Mr. Russell then proceeded to say that in August, 1880, Mr. Latimer went to England, and during his absence a power-of-attorney was executed by the company in favour of the prisoner, who then exercised by virtue of that document the most unqualified powers to conduct all the duties of the secretary. Mr. Latimer's absence lasted from August, 1880, to March, 1881, during which period it was by no means possible for him to have known anything about the transactions. The prosecution would further prove that the cash-books were all entirely in the handwriting of the prisoner, and he had sole control of the cash belonging to the company. On the 16th and 18th August, 1880, a merchant named Hurgowan Goolal paid in two sums of Rs. 11,000 and Rs. 11,000 respectively, receiving receipts from the prisoner and counterfoils initialed by him. Counsel might tell the court that in the ordinary course of business counterfoils were initialed by either Mr. Latimer or the prisoner. On the 16th August the prisoner paid into the National Bank, who were then the bankers of the company, the sum of Rs. 11,000, and on the 21st August another sum of Rs. 2,000, making altogether Rs. 13,100. It, however, appeared that in the company's cash-book the prisoner debited the bank with the sum of Rs. 23,100 as having been paid in by him. As a matter of fact, he appropriated Rs. 10,000 to his own use. Again, on the 18th November, 1880, a merchant of the name of Thakerjee Mooljee paid in a sum of Rs. 20,000. The prisoner debited the National Bank with this amount, though he actually paid in only Rs. 16,000. A little later on the prisoner received Rs. 4,300 from a merchant, and he debited the bank with that amount, though he did not pay in a single penny. In February, 1881, Jairam Bhojen paid in a sum of Rs. 19,500, but the prisoner credited only with Rs. 11,000, the difference being appropriated by the prisoner to his own use. The accountants clearly stated in their report that in respect of the National Bank account alone the prisoner had failed to credit the company with Rs. 20,655. Then they found repeated instances in which fraudulent entries had been made by the prisoner. In December, 1880, Thakersay Mooljee paid into the company Rs. 25,000, but he was credited only with Rs. 5,000, and the difference of Rs. 20,000, counsel believed, was employed by the prisoner in balancing the account with the National Bank. On the 31st December, 1880, the prisoner entered to the credit of the bank a sum for Rs. 18,414, but they found upon an examination of the company's cheque-book that no such cheque was ever drawn or presented to the bank. The entry was purely fictitious, and made to fill up the difference in the account between the National Bank and the company. Counsel gave various other instances of false entries alleged to have been made by the prisoner. A large amount, representing unclaimed wages, was left in the hands of the prisoner. This sum also went to swell the total of his frauds. Mr. Russell concluded by saying that upon all these facts, which he would be in a position to prove, the court would be of opinion that the only question to be really considered was under what category of offences the prisoner had brought himself. Mr. Russell then proposed to put in the examination of Mr. Latimer.

Mr. Hormusjee objected to the information going in.

The magistrate said the document could go in if it were proved that Mr. Latimer could not attend the court, without an unreasonable amount of trouble and expense.

Mr. Pestonjee Dosabjee Kharegbaut, one of the auditors who had examined the accounts of the company, was examined by Mr. Russell.

The examination of the witness was not concluded when the court adjourned until Saturday, the 22nd instant.

## BOMBAY COTTON TRADE ASSOCIATION.

THE annual meeting of the Bombay Cotton Trade Association was held on Wednesday, Mr. J. Marshall in the chair. There were also present:—Feidler (Gaddum & Co.); Campbell (W. & A. Graham & Co.); Cotton (Greaves, Cotton & Co.); Stewart (Killick, Nixon & Co.); Glazebrook (Lyon & Co.); T. Ward and E. P. Ralli (Ralli Brothers); Buchhveiz (Volkart Brothers); Thomson (Wallace & Co.); Booth (Booth & Co.); Damodher Heerjee (J. C. Bushby & Co.); Poole (Peel, Cassels & Co.); Tintner (A. Blascheck & Co.); T. Moore (T. H. Moore & Co.); Narayen Dhondoba (Harvey & Sahapathy); Henriehs (Glade & Co.); Rusom (the Mofussil Company, Limited); H. Gill; J. R. Haswell; G. W. Read; and Wilson.

The chairman said that it being the annual meeting it was necessary for him to say only a few words, although the business to be brought forward was merely of a formal nature. At the two meetings held respectively a month and a fortnight since, all the little matters there were in dispute had been discussed. The working of the association was satisfactory; and as far as the funds went, there was a balance of Rs. 3,539-0-4 against a balance of Rs. 2,286-12-8 for the previous year. The association had also placed at the disposal of Government a sum of Rs. 250 to be offered as a prize for the better cultivation of cotton in the Dharwar Collectorate. The matter was placed before the committee of the Chamber of Commerce, who added another sum of Rs. 250, while Government had supplemented it by a sum of Rs. 500, thus making it Rs. 1,000 in all. This amount had been placed at the disposal of the Commissioner for the Southern Division. The chairman hoped that a similar prize would be offered in the Khandeish Collectorate. Such prizes would do a great deal in inducing cultivators to pay a greater attention to their fields, and specially to the seed. During the year the association had had 669 arbitrations, and of these there had been only 20 appeals to the committee. The actual business before the meeting was the passing of the accounts; but the chairman noticed that no provision had been made for a remuneration to Mr. John Gordon, the secretary, who had now devoted a great number of years to the association. As a partial recognition of his services, the chairman thought that an honorarium of Rs. 500 be given to Mr. Gordon.

On the motion of the chairman, seconded by Mr. Cotton, the accounts were then passed, and it was agreed that an honorarium of Rs. 500 be given to Mr. Gordon.

The committee for the ensuing year was then ballotted for, the following gentlemen being declared elected:—Messrs. Marshall, Cassels, Huson, Forrest, Cotton, Comber, T. Moore, Tucker and Breul.

The meeting then separated.

## BOMBAY TOWN COUNCIL.

AT the weekly meeting of the Town Council, on Wednesday there were present Sir Frank Souter, Chairman, Colonel Merewether, Captain Morland, Mr. Geary, Dr. Blanc, Professor Peterson, Messrs. Dosabhoy Framjee, Nowrojee Furdoonjee, R. M. Sayani, Nanabhoy Byramjee Jeje

of the estate of Nursey Kessowjee and Co. until the further order of the court.

Mr. Lang and Mr. Inverarity, instructed by Messrs. Cleveland, Little and Nicholson, appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. Farran and Mr. Jardine, instructed by Messrs. Craigie, Lynch, and Owen for the defendant, who is the assignee of the estate and effects of the late firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co.

The plaint stated that the North China Insurance Company was started in Shanghai in 1864, and five shares of Rs. 1,000 each were allotted to the plaintiff, who was at that time a partner in the firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co., and also carried on several mercantile transactions on his own account, mostly in shares. The Bombay firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co. acted as the shroffs and agents of the plaintiff in respect of such separate transactions. The shares stood in the name of, and belonged to, the plaintiff; and the dividends and bonuses were received by Nursey Kessowjee and Co. as shroffs and agents of the plaintiff, and were credited by them in their books to the plaintiff's accounts. The Insurance Company was an unlimited company, and was dissolved periodically and started again. The plaintiff retired from the firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co. in September 1865, but the firm still continued to act as agents and shroffs of the plaintiff. In June, 1881, on account of dividends and bonuses due in respect of the three shares in the Insurence Company, the property of the plaintiff and representing his original five shares, the defendant received Rs. 26,000 which of right belonged to the plaintiff, but had declined to pay over the same to the latter.

The defendant, in his defence, stated that the plaintiff's allegations in respect of the five shares of the Insurance Company were incorrect. No shares appeared in his name in the books of the company; and the firm of Nursey Kessowjee and Co., of Hongkong, appeared as the holders of two shares of 500$ each. Down to the year 1878, the North China Insurance Companies were from time to time dissolved, and new companies bearing the same name were from time to time formed; but were unconnected with each other. Upon the dissolution of each company, its business was wound up, and its assets and profits were divided among the shareholders. The shareholders in each new company were not of necessity the same as those of its predecessor. Only in one of the companies, namely in that formed in the beginning of 1869, and wound up at the end of 1871, was the plaintiff a registered shareholder for five shares, which were subsequently transferred into the name of Nursey Kessowjee, of Bombay. In the company formed in the beginning of 1872, the firm of Nursey Kessowjee, of Hongkong, was the registered holder of two shares only, upon which 300$ were paid up, and in the company formed in the beginning of 1876, Nursey Kessowjee, of Bombay, was the registered holder of five shares upon which 500$ were paid up. In the company at present existing, Nursey Kessowjee was the registered holder of three shares upon which 600$ were paid up. Defendant denied that plaintiff was the owner of any of the shares mentioned in the plaint. They were in the order and disposition of Nursey Kessowjee, and on his insolvency, the shares, with the dividends due in respect thereof, passed to the defendant as his assignee. In June, 1881, defendant received in respect of those shares Rs. 26,503, to which, he submitted, the plaintiff had no claim.

The hearing of the case was proceeded with.

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N. B.—The "London" has only her lower masts in, and her machinery and screw have been removed.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 66.

MARINE DEPARTMENT,
BOMBAY CASTLE, 5th December, 1883.

THE following notice by the Government of Ceylon is republished for general information:—

NOTICE TO MARINERS AND OTHERS ENTERING THE HARBOUR OF TRINCOMALEE.

NOTICE is hereby given that on and after December 1, 1883, until February 15, 1884, a RED BUOY will be placed in the ENTRANCE to TRINCOMALEE HARBOUR between Ostenburg Point and Little Sober Island to the boundary of the Submarine Mining Field. The Buoy will be placed at a distance of 300 yards from Little Sober Island.

The waterway between the Buoy and Ostenberg Point will be obstructed by mines.

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B. H. POTTINGER, Colonel,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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The Agent does not bind himself to accept the highest or any offer.

ALFRED KING,
Storekeeper.

Storekeeper's Office, Parell, 11th December, 1883.

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| Government Securities | 419,887 13 3 |
| Stocks and Debentures | 136,448 4 4 |
| Feu-duties | 17,434 15 10 |
| Reversions | 27,969 8 9 |
| Life rents purchased | 1,122 2 11 |
| Loans upon Personal Security | 78,903 3 5 |
| Agents' Balances and outstanding Premiums (since accounted for) | 255,854 8 |
| Interest due and accrued | 52,469 4 4 |
| Cash in Bank, on Deposit, and in hand | 307,997 2 9 |
| | £6,078,784 3 1 |

THOMAS LANG,
Secretary, Bombay Branch

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| Butter Knives .... " | 2 4 | 4 0 | 3 |
| Pickle Forks .... " | 2 4 | 3 0 | 3 0 |
| Skewers .....per inch | 1 8 | 2 0 | 2 0 |
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